GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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DINGS OF ROYAL FAMILIES OF RAJASTHAN OCCUPIED BY THE GOVERNMENT
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the royal families of Rajasthan whoseâ€"buildings (Houses) in Delhi have been occupied by the Union Government;

(b) the amount paid by the Union Government for Jaipur House, Bikaner House, Patiala House and Jodhpur House out of these; and

(c) the details of the amount paid for the rest of the buildings?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a): The Ministry of Urban Development does not gather the details of the royal families whose buildings (Houses) in Delhi have been occupied by the Central Govt.

(b) : Jaipur House was purchased for Rs.3.00 Crores. Bikaner House is with the State Govt. of Rajasthan except a small portion of the House which has been taken on rent. Patiala House was purchased in 1959 for a sum Rs.ll.67 lakh.
Jodhpur House was taken on rental basis from the State Govt. of Rajasthan in 1948 and was released on 1.8.1960.

(c): Building-wise amount paid for the rest of the buildings is as below:-

BUILDING	AMOUNT PAID
Jaisalmer House	Rs.7.34 lakh
Dholpur House	Rs.10.47 lakh
536c.SS T Kota House	RS.14.07 lakh

(These were purchased by the Govt. of India on IS. 7.1970)
Udaipur House: This was taken on rent on 21.1.1952 by the Govt. of India and was transferred to Delhi Administration on 28.5.1965.